

Part 3 Short Conversations

Listen and choose the correct answer.

Part 4 Short Talks

Listen and choose the best answer to each question.

1. Who do you think this ad is for?
(A) People who have lots of energy (B) People who don't have much work
(C) People who find it difficult to relax (D) People who are relaxed

2. How does yoga help people who work long days?
(A) It gives them more energy. (B) It gives them a new job.
(C) It doesn't help them. (D) It makes them stressed.

3. What days do the phones lines stay open?
(A) Every day (B) Monday until Sunday
(C) Every day except Tuesday (D) Every day except Monday

4. What did the speaker think of Canada?
(A) She loved it. (B) She didn't like it.
(C) She doesn't want to go back. (D) She hated it.

5. Who did the speaker walk in the mountains with?
(A) Nobody (B) Her friends
(C) Canada (D) Vacation

6. When did the speaker meet her friends for dinner?
(A) In the mornings (B) Before her walks
(C) After her walks (D) Two nights a week

Part 5 Incomplete Sentences

Choose the word or phrase that best completes the sentence.

1. The food smells -----.

- (A) wonderfully
- (B) well
- (C) very
- (D) good

2. Alice goes to the movies about -----.

- (A) every two weeks
- (B) every two week
- (C) every one week
- (D) every once week

3. I hear ----- birds singing.

- (A) a little
- (B) much
- (C) a lot of
- (D) a great deal of

4. Would you like ----- tea?

- (A) many
- (B) a few
- (C) a little
- (D) every

5. I don't have enough time ----- for you.

- (A) wait
- (B) waiting
- (C) to wait
- (D) waited

6. She was ----- smart that she scored the highest on the test.

- (A) so
- (B) very
- (C) enough
- (D) too

7. She is ----- to music at the moment.

- (A) listens
- (B) listening
- (C) hears
- (D) hearing

8. There are ----- students waiting for their teacher.

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| (A) a little | (B) a few |
| (C) most | (D) almost |

9. ----- students did their homework today.

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| (A) Most | (B) Almost |
| (C) Much | (D) Each |

10. You seem ----- relaxing at the beach.

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| (A) enjoyed | (B) enjoying |
| (C) really enjoy | (D) to enjoy |

11. He is much ----- in money than his brother is.

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| (A) for interested | (B) for interesting |
| (C) more interested | (D) more interesting |

12. Can I borrow ----- money?

- | | |
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| (A) most | (B) many |
| (C) a | (D) some |

13. He ----- read twenty books about flying helicopters.

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| (A) has | (B) have |
| (C) so | (D) such |

14. We have enough money to buy ----- ten hamburgers.

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| (A) into | (B) about |
| (C) with | (D) for |

15. I really don't want anything to eat, -----.

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| (A) too | (B) so |
| (C) either | (D) such |

Part 6 Incomplete Texts

Choose the best word or phrase for each blank.

Questions 1 through 3 refer to the following message.

Lucy,

Can you ask the cleaner to empty all the trash cans before she goes home every night? 1. ----- every morning this week, I have found the trash can in my office full

- (A) Most
- (B) At most
- (C) Almost all
- (D) Almost

of trash. Also, she should check that there is 2. ----- toilet paper in the restrooms.

- (A) enough
- (B) such
- (C) each of
- (D) an

Last week, we ran out of toilet paper every day. It is very inconvenient and 3. -----

- (A) everyone
- (B) no one
- (C) all
- (D) anyone

keeps complaining to me.

Thanks for your help,
Carrie

Questions 4 through 6 refer to the following letter.

Computers Plus
34 West View Plaza
Tel: 887-9900
October 23rd

Dear Mr. Whitfield,

Thank you for your 4. ----- letter. I am sorry that you have had problems with your

- (A) lately
- (B) new
- (C) recent
- (D) earlier

new Tondai Series-S laptop. We have had similar complaints from three other customers. We have 5. ----- at your computer and tested it carefully. However, we

- (A) checked
- (B) looked
- (C) listened
- (D) waited

cannot find the cause of the trouble. We would like to exchange your computer for another. You may have either the same series again or a new computer from the T series.

Please contact me at the above telephone number, and let us know what you would like. I am very sorry for 6. ----- inconvenience.

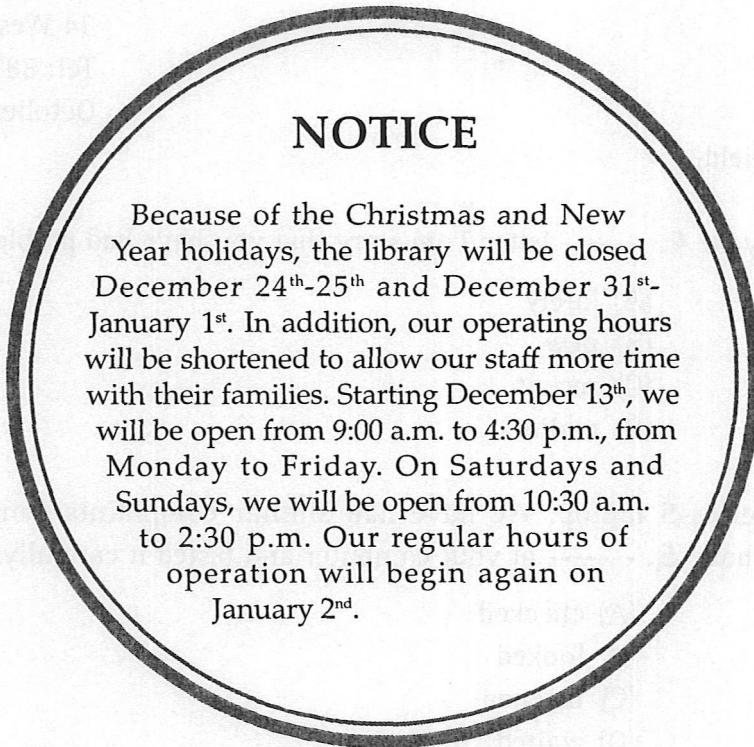
- (A) that
- (B) these
- (C) those
- (D) this

Sincerely,
Eric Winters

Part 7 Reading Comprehension

Choose the best answer.

Questions 1 and 2 refer to the following sign.



Questions 3 through 5 refer to the following menu.

Hilltop Restaurant Menu

Hamburger (with lettuce, tomato, onion, and pickle)	\$3.00
Cheeseburger (with cheddar cheese and bacon)	\$3.50
Hotdog (with ketchup, mustard, and onion)	\$2.00
Chili Hotdog (with ground beef and kidney beans)	\$2.50
French Fries (regular or spicy fries)	\$1.25
Onion Rings	\$1.75
Soft Drinks (Cola, Lemon-Lime, Orange, Root Beer)	small \$1.25 large \$1.50
Fresh Orange Juice or Lemon Iced Tea	small \$2.00 large \$2.50

Please ask your server about today's specials.
Ask for our new dessert menu!

3. Which of the following is the most expensive?

(A) A large cola (B) French fries
(C) A chili hotdog (D) Onion rings

4. Mr. Smith bought two hamburgers and a hotdog. How much did he pay?

(A) \$6.00 (B) \$5.50
(C) \$2.00 (D) \$8.00

5. How many different kinds of drinks are on the menu?

(A) Two (B) Three
(C) Five (D) Six

Questions 6 through 9 refer to the following notice and text message.

We are sorry to report that Mr. Smith is sick today. Because of Mr. Smith's illness, his classes scheduled for today will be canceled: Beginning English, Advanced English, English Listening, and English Reading. Mr. Smith and the English department apologize for any inconvenience Mr. Smith's absence creates. Mr. Smith will be back tomorrow. Each student is responsible for reading the next chapter in his or her textbook. Please join us in wishing Mr. Smith a quick recovery.

Hey Jo! Did you see the notice? Mr. Smith is sick, so we've no class today. I'm so happy. I forgot to do my homework. Now I have an extra day. Let's talk about Jessie's party during class time. I don't want to read a boring book. Send me a reply! Sally

Vocabulary**A. LISTENING (Outdoors)**

Listen and write the letter of the statement that best describes the picture.

Exercise 1

1. _____



2. _____



3. _____



4. _____

- Exercise 1
1. (C) Walk
2. (D) Throw
3. (A) Water
4. (B) Climb

Exercise 2

1. _____



2. _____



3. _____



4. _____

- Exercise 2
1. (C) Pick
2. (A) Gather
3. (B) Dig
4. (D) Park

B. READING (Commonly Confused Words)

Choose the correct word to complete each sentence.

Exercise 1

1. The men (explored / exploded) the jungle.
2. The volcano (explored / exploded), and rocks flew into the air.

- Exercise 1
1. explored
2. exploded

Exercise 2

1. I (wander / wonder) what he is doing now.
2. Let's (wander / wonder) through the park today.

- Exercise 2
1. wonder
2. wander

Exercise 3

1. You must make a greater (afford / effort) to come to work on time.
2. I can't (afford / effort) the time away from work.

- Exercise 3
1. effort
2. afford

Grammar Focus

Negation

1. Use *no* as an adjective.
 - a) I have no equipment for mountain climbing.
 - b) There are no bottles of juice in the fridge.
2. Use *not* as an adverb.
 - ***not* can be used after auxiliaries and before main verbs.**
 - a) She is not gathering enough berries.
 - b) You should not walk on the grass.
 - **If there is no auxiliary, *do* is used along with *not*.**
 - a) I do not find this movie very interesting.
 - b) She does not dig in the garden.
3. Put a negative word before non-finite verbs: to-infinitives, gerunds, and participles.
 - a) We decided not to study French.
 - b) I enjoy not waking up early in the morning.
 - c) In order not to park downtown, he took a bus.
4. Never = not ever
 - a) He never parks his car on the street.
 - b) They can never pick enough apples.
 - **The position of *never* changes the meaning of the sentence.**
 - a) We decided never to climb Mt. Everest.
 - b) We never decided to climb Mt. Everest.
 - c) I enjoy never waking up early in the morning.
 - d) I never enjoy waking up early in the morning.
5. Redundancy in Negation
 - **Avoid double negatives.**
 - a) I did not find no treasure. (X) (no → any)
 - b) I found no treasure.
 - **Do not use a negative word along with: *hardly*, *seldom*, *rarely*, *scarcely*, *barely*.**
 - a) We could not hardly walk through the crowd. (X) Omit *not*
→ We could hardly walk through the crowd.

Preposition

Of

- a) He is the owner of that big house.
- b) They robbed him of his farm.
- c) Her mother died of cancer.

Usage

of wood
of the day
of America
of art

Grammar Exercises

Choose the correct word or phrase to complete each sentence.

Hint

1. There wasn't (no / any) gas in the car.

wasn't

2. She did (no / not) hear the truck explode.

did, hear

3. The police (never / not) found the missing hiker.

found

4. Bears (don't seldom / rarely) wander into town.

don't

5. She doesn't (want / not want) to explore the city tomorrow.

doesn't

6. We promised (to not / not to) speak in class anymore.

to speak

7. He (does not / not does) comb his hair very often.

comb

8. He can (afford not / not afford) to buy a bag of diamonds.

can, not, diamonds

9. I could (not barely / barely) hear the sound of music.

could, hear

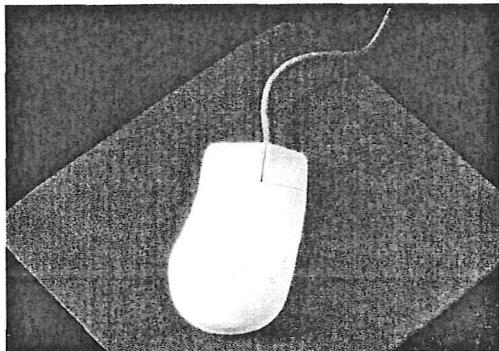
10. You have (never / not never) been to London, have you?

Mini Test

Part 1 Picture Description

Listen and choose the statement that best describes the picture.

1.



- (A) (B) (C) (D)

2.

- (A) (B) (C) (D)



3.



- (A) (B) (C) (D)

4.



(A) (B) (C) (D)

5.

(A) (B) (C) (D)



Part 2 Questions and Responses

Listen and choose the correct answer.

1. (A) (B) (C)
2. (A) (B) (C)
3. (A) (B) (C)
4. (A) (B) (C)
5. (A) (B) (C)

Part 3 Short Conversations

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Part 4 Short Talks

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1. If there is a fire, what should you do?
(A) Run out of the building (B) Stay seated
(C) Walk out of the building (D) Jog out of the building

2. When outside, where should you wait?
(A) On the basketball court (B) In the parking lot
(C) Beside the school (D) On the football field

3. How often will the fire drills be held?
(A) Three times a year
(B) Four times a year
(C) Twice a year
(D) Once each year

4. When should the students begin the test?
(A) When they are given the test paper
(B) When the teacher says paper
(C) When they hear the bell
(D) When they want

5. What should the students write on the first page?
(A) Their teacher's name (B) Their age
(C) Their phone number (D) Their name and class number

6. How much time do the students have to finish the test?
(A) One hour (B) Two hours
(C) Three hours (D) Five hours

Part 5 Incomplete Sentences

Choose the word or phrase that best completes the sentence.

8. Anna seemed happier ----- Wendy.

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| (A) as | (B) of |
| (C) over | (D) than |

9. He seldom ----- ball with his children in the park.

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| (A) plays | (B) no plays |
| (C) doesn't play | (D) not plays |

10. He ----- walk to work; he drives.

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| (A) no | (B) not |
| (C) does no | (D) does not |

11. We can't afford ----- a new car.

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| (A) to buy | (B) buying |
| (C) buy | (D) do not buy |

12. ----- of the squirrels are gathering nuts; those two are playing.

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| (A) Never all | (B) All never |
| (C) Not all | (D) All not |

13. Her mother ----- to say that I had a heart of gold.

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| (A) have | (B) used |
| (C) was | (D) was used |

14. He has never given me a box ----- chocolates.

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| (A) about | (B) of |
| (C) into | (D) in |

15. I ----- believe how hard it was to pick apples.

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| (A) could hardly | (B) couldn't hardly |
| (C) hardly could | (D) hardly couldn't |

Part 6 Incomplete Texts

Choose the best word or phrase for each blank.

Questions 1 through 3 refer to the following email.

To: sspt09@ccu.co
From: tatkis@netto.com
Subject: Contract
Date: June 3rd

Dear Mr. Conrad,

I am writing to you 1. ----- the contract we made last week. In the contract, you

- (A) about
- (B) of
- (C) along
- (D) in

promised 2. ----- use any workers without consulting me first. However, this morning

- (A) to not
- (B) to don't
- (C) to didn't
- (D) not to

I found two new workers on the building site. I 3. ----- met them before, and I

- (A) am not
- (B) will not
- (C) had not
- (D) be not

was not told about them. I do not want a repeat of this. Please honor our contract.
I am very disappointed by this.

Tom Atkins

Questions 4 through 6 refer to the following advertisement.

Tired **4.** ----- your image? Fed up with your hair style? Don't want to wear the same

- (A) by
- (B) of
- (C) from
- (D) to

old clothes again and again? Then you need 'Image Over.' We advise clients on how to make the most of their appearance. Don't want to spend a lot of money on clothes and make-up? No problem. You don't have to be rich to look good. We can show you cheap and easy ways to improve your appearance and create a new look. Call 435-945 to make an appointment. One of **5.** ----- specialists will visit your home

- (A) us
- (B) ours
- (C) our
- (D) mine

and check your clothes and make-up. Then, the specialist will take you on a fun shopping trip to **6.** ----- you find things to improve your look. Call now and start

- (A) help
- (B) show
- (C) make
- (D) do

looking great!

Part 7 Reading Comprehension

Choose the best answer.

Questions 1 and 2 refer to the following menu.

Blue Coffee Shop

Hours of operation:

Monday to Friday: 6:00 a.m. to 11:00 p.m.

Saturdays: 8:00 a.m. to 10:00 p.m.

Sundays: 9:00 a.m. to 9:00 p.m.

MENU

Coffee (Colombian, Java, Kenyan).....	\$2.50
Tea (Earl Grey, Orange Pekoe, Darjeeling, Chai Spice).....	\$2.00
Iced Tea (Lemon, Peach, Raspberry)	\$1.50
Fresh Juice (Orange, Apple, Grape, Grapefruit).....	\$1.50
Hot Chocolate, Hot Caramel	\$2.50
Iced Chocolate, Iced Caramel.....	\$2.25

2%, 1%, or nonfat milk available

1. Which is the most expensive?

(A) Colombian coffee (B) Darjeeling tea
(C) Grape juice (D) Lemon iced tea

2. Mr. and Mrs. Smith bought a cup of coffee and a glass of iced tea. How much did they spend?

(A) \$6.00 (B) \$3.00
(C) \$4.00 (D) \$5.50

Questions 3 through 5 refer to the following sign.

WELCOME TO CLUB DAY!

Flower Club Meeting

- Green thumbs, flower lovers, and romantics alike will enjoy this club. Meeting today at 4:00 p.m. in Room 330 of Charlton Hall.

Stamp Club Meeting

- Travel the world and swap valued stamps with fellow collectors.
Meeting today at 4:30 p.m. in Room 304 of Janzen Hall.

Comics Club Meeting

- Relive tales of all your favorite Superfriends with fellow comic book lovers. Meeting this evening at 7:30 p.m. in Room 717 of O'Byrne Hall.

Coin Club Meeting

- Our newest club! Come swap coins from around the world. See examples of old coins and new coins, and notes from every corner of the globe. Meeting tonight at 8:00 p.m. in Room 210 of the newly built Ayres Hall.

3. What time is the flower club meeting?
(A) 3:30 p.m. (B) 3:04 a.m.
(C) 4:00 p.m. (D) 4:30 p.m.

4. Where is the stamp club meeting?
(A) Room 330 (B) Room 304
(C) Room 400 (D) Room 430

5. Which building was built most recently?
(A) Charlton Hall (B) Janzen Hall
(C) O'Byrne Hall (D) Ayres Hall

Questions 6 through 9 refer to the following emails.

From: Sue <sues@hanmail.com>
Sent: May 23rd
To: funnyboy <george@yahoo.ca>
Subject: pics

Hi there, George! Thanks for sending those pictures. Your new daughter is so cute! She was born last month, wasn't she? What does her older brother think of her? Is he happy to have a sister? Even if he isn't now, I'm sure he will be later. Anyway, I should get back to work. Keep those pictures coming.

Love,
Sue

From: funnyboy <george@yahoo.ca>
Sent: May 23rd
To: Sue <sues@hanmail.com>
Subject: Re:pics

Hi Sue,
Glad you liked the pictures. David loves his new sister. He wants to play with her all the time. He can't understand why she can't talk yet! I'll be sending a lot more pictures, so you can look forward to those. This office is so busy today. We have some important clients visiting. We'd like to invite you and Morris to come over some time.

Take care,
George

6. When was George's daughter born?
(A) This month (B) Yesterday
(C) May (D) April

7. How many children does George have?
(A) One (B) None
(C) Two (D) Three

8. What did George send Sue?
(A) A card (B) Photos
(C) A gift (D) A phone message

9. Where is George probably writing this email?
(A) At work (B) In a public library
(C) In an Internet café (D) At home



Practice Test

LISTENING TEST

In the Listening test, you will be asked to demonstrate how well you understand spoken English. The entire Listening section of the test will last approximately 45 minutes. Directions are given for each of the four parts. There is a separate answer sheet for marking answers. Do not write your answers in the test book.

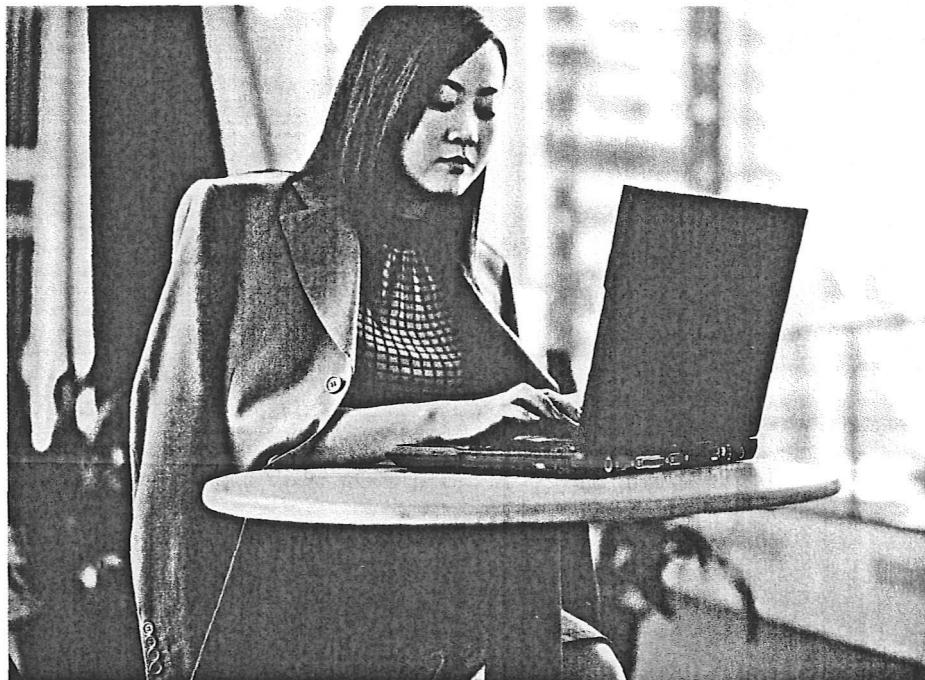
Part 1

Directions: In this part of the test, you will hear four statements about each picture in your textbook. After listening to all four statements, you must select the one statement that best describes what you see in the picture. Then, find the number of that question on your answer sheet and mark your answer. The statements will be spoken only one time, and are not printed in your test book.

Sample Answer

(A) (B) (C) (D)

Example



Now listen to the four statements.

Statement (B), "The woman is typing on a computer," best describes what you see in the picture. Therefore, you should choose answer (B).